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[1](#)1. (C) Ambassador raised reftel points Nov. 8 with MFA D/US Apakan. He stressed the importance the USG attaches to these country resolutions and expressed the hope that Turkey could support us. Separately, we also discussed the issue of UNGA Third Committee country resolutions, no-action motions, and retaliatory resolutions proposed by Belarus and Uzbekistan Nov. 8 with Hasan Ulusoy, MFA Head of Department for COE and Human Rights Matters. On the individual country resolutions, on which we had provided ref b talking points to Ulusoy's office November 3, Ulusoy recommended we follow up individually with the country desks in the Ministry, who will instruct the Turkish UN delegation on each of the resolutions. He will study the thematic retaliatory resolutions proposed by Belarus and Uzbekistan and get back to us.

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